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The Honorable L. Dean Brown  
Deputy Under Secretary for Management  
Department of State  
Washington, D. C. 20520

Dear Dean:

I very much appreciated receiving your note of 3 July 1974 relating to our luncheon gathering on the same date. I feel that our getting together was mutually beneficial, personally and professionally, and it is already apparent that there has been some useful fallout effect, as reflected in the increased dialogue by our staffs.

As I prepare to depart the Agency, I would stress that Jack Blake hopes to continue in the same friendly atmosphere which now prevails. I am confident that the two of you can look forward to working together in meeting the many management challenges of the future. It goes without saying that I wish you well in this endeavor.

Sincerely,

/s/ Harold L. Brownman

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